

## CERTAIN INFORMATION RELATIVE TO LANDS IN OZARK NATIONAL FOREST.

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Mr. ROBINSON, from the Committee on the Public Lands, submitted the following

### REPORT.

[To accompany H. Res. No. 332.]

The Committee on the Public Lands, having had under consideration House resolution 332, "Requesting the Secretary of the Interior to furnish certain information relative to the lands in the Ozark National Forest," report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

Your committee has information that there is a considerable amount of complaint among settlers and intending settlers on the public lands in the Ozark National Forest. The committee has been informed that a considerable number of entries within the said forest have been suspended and that entrymen have had difficulty in learning the nature of the charges against their entries and by whom made. There has also been complaint by intending settlers of the difficulties they encounter in entering public lands within the said forest.

In view of these facts the committee is of the opinion that the information asked for is important and will serve to enlighten the House as to what legislation, if any, may be necessary to relieve the situation.

